

County of Los Angeles Department of Mental Health

Student Professional Development Program

2017-2018 Academic Year

Complete this form for each discipline to be placed at this agency:

Service Area 2

☐ Psychology

☐ Nursing

☐ Practicum

☐ Marriage Family Therapist

☐ Externshi

☐ Occupational Therapy

☐ Internship

☐ Other (specify): _____

☒ Social Work

☒ Specialization Both Micro & Macro

☐ Macro/Admi

DMH Agency:	Service Area 2 Adult Administration
DMH Agency Address:	6800 Owensmouth Avenue, Suite 160, Canoga Park, CA 91303
DMH Agency Liaison:	Irina Sarkisyan, LCSW
New or Returning:	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Returning
Liaison Email Address:	isarkisyan@dmh.lacounty.gov
Liaison Phone Number:	818.610.6703
Liaison Fax Number:	818.347.8736
Agency ADA accessible	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No" identify:

Student Requirements:

How many positions will you have?	2-4
Beginning and ending dates:	2016-2017 academic year

Student Schedule: *Please indicate days and times students should be available to provide services, including mandatory staff meetings (SM), training seminars (TR), supervision (SUP), etc.*

Monday	8:00AM to 5:00PM
Tuesday	
Wednesday	8:00AM to 5:00PM
Thursday	
Friday	8:00AM to 12:00PM
Total hours expected to be worked per week:	20.00
Number of direct client hours per week anticipated:	10-15
Expected average consumer caseload:	8-10
What cultural groups typically received services at your site?	Diverse (African American, Hispanic, White, Homeless,)

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Description of Site: *(Please describe the type of Agency setting and services offered)*

Service Area 2 is a culturally diverse and highly populated area of Los Angeles County covering the San Fernando Valley and Santa Clarita Valley regions. Adults are served by a network of county operated and contracted clinics offering a wide array of programs and services designed to meet the spectrum of mental health needs of our community.

Target population and types of services provided: *(please check all that apply)*

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individuals | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Psychoeducational groups (e.g. Parenting) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Groups | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Outreach |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Families | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brief treatment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children & Adolescents | <input type="checkbox"/> Evidence Based Practices |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adults | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crisis Intervention |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Older Adults | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Screening and Assessment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Court/Probation referred | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychological Testing |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consultation/Liaison | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): |

What are the most frequent diagnostic categories of your client population?

Depressive Disorders, Schizophrenia Spectrum Disorders, Anxiety Disorders

What specific (perhaps unique) training opportunities do students have at your agency?

Various opportunities to interact with housing services providers and community partners

What evidence based practices or theoretical orientations will students be exposed to at this site?

Seeking Safety, CORS, MI

Do students have the opportunity to work in a multidisciplinary team environment that includes those with lived experience?

yes

List locations where students will be providing services **other than agency?**

Field based work opportunities

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Does your agency allow students to videotape and/or audiotape clients for the purpose of presenting cases in their academic classes? ☒ Yes ☐ No

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Supervision:

What types of supervision will be provided for the students and what is the licensure/discipline of the supervisor? Please specify below.

Type	Hours Per Week	On Site Supervisor Degree/Discipline
Individual:	1.0	LCSW
Group:	1-1.5	LCSW

What is the minimum ratio of supervision to client contact hours? As needed

Does your agency require a particular range of previous experience or specific prerequisite coursework? If so please explain.

2nd Year Masters in Social Work

Agency Application Process

Mandatory requirements: Only students from academic institutions who have a current affiliation agreement with the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health may be extended a placement opportunity. All students are processed through Human Resources Bureau. All prospective interns must obtain live scan clearance. All interns are required to complete a mandatory HIPAA Compliance and Sexual Harassment Prevention Training (for line staff) as part as the terms of their internship.

DMH Staff completing this form: Irina Sarkisyan, LCSW Title: Adult Housing
Nav./Temp. Shelter Program Gatekeeper, and Mental Health Services Act Projects Liaison

Signature: _____ Date: 2/1/2017

Program Head: _____ Phone #: _____

District Chief: Lisa Wong Phone #: 818-610-6708

Electronic Signature: _____ Date: _____